Fair tonight and Friday; warmer to-night; gentle southerly winds. TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 64 | 68 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 80 | 81 | | Evening Public Cedger

NIGHT

AGREEMENT ON LEAGUE PLANK AVERTS G. O. P. SPLIT

Root Compromise Proposal on Treaty Resolution Fails to Give Indorsement to Covenant

DAYLIGHT ROBBERS CHOKE WOMAN, PIN BOY UNDER SHELF

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Mrs. Nathan Kurland Becomes Unconscious After Attack. Assailant Gets Only \$1

ESCAPES AS MOTHER COMES TO RESCUE OF DAUGHTER

on Youth in Market St. Store and Flee With Loot

Two daylight hold-ups were reported today by the police, in one of which the victim, a woman, was choked into unconsciousness, while in the other a young man, who tried to resist the robbers, was pinned under a counter which

hey overturned. Mrs. Nathan Kurland was in her husband's store. 710 Bainbridge street, when a young man entered at 10:30 o'clock this morning and demanded that the sufe. She refused and he ber. He knotted a handkerhief around her throat and she fainted. Mrs. Anna Friedman, her mother, came downstairs when she heard her

inughter fall and sent for a-doctor to revive Mrs. Kurland. "There was a young man of medium beight in the store." the young woman height in the store, the young woman said. "He came up in a threatening manner and said: 'Open that safe, quick.' I was so frightened I could not have done so if I had wanted to. He grabbed my throat and choked me until everything grew black. I can't remember any more."

The robber's booty was a dollar bill be found in Mrs. Kurland's pocket. Mrs. Friedman came downstairs so soon after the attack the robber was frightened away. The woman was no worse for the encounter, save for a black and blue bruise on her throat. The second hold-up was reported to-day, but occurred yesterday at 10:30 clock in the morning. Two negroes, he auto and supply store of Samuel Harris, 3931 Market street, osten-

ibly to make a purchase. Elmer familton, younger brother of the procame into the store fro shop in the rear to wait on the men. Suddenly they drew guns, Hamilton resisted, and in the fight they overurned the counter and shelves on him. pinning him to the floor. Then they prices for sugar. smashed the each register, stole about \$25 and departed, fleeing in an auto-

Elmer

he negroes attacked. He tried to crank own automobile to follow them, out there was a delay in starting and car was out of sight by the time Hamilton was ready to take The police have been given a good description of the two

TAKES AIR TO SEE PARADE

Shriner Who Misses Train Flies

From Allentown to Reading Reading, Pa., June 10.-Audrey eward, of Allertown, insists on at ending every ceremonial held by Rajah Temple, Mystic Shriners, of this city, and he wasn't bothered a bit last eveing when he missed the train to Reading taking his fellow members to the session of the season. He simply went out in his back yard and cranked his airplane and in less than half an nour he was watching the parade of the

Flying with Stewart is what motoring most people. He was accompanied Lieutenant William Fisher, a Long sland flier. The other Allentown Reading Railway station when he soured them and added an unexpected feature to their colorful procession. He reached an altitude of 5000 feet as he sed Mt. Penn, on the edge of Read-

ex-topped brethren here.

SOLDIER SEEKS "KICK"

Magistrate Thinks He Had It Coming and Discharges Him

There are times when grape juice doesn't fill the bill. One of these occasions is immediately after two years' service in the United States army, as pointed out by Magisin the Twenty-second of the Southern street and Hunting Park avenue station just been allocated to the port of Philahis morning, when he discharged John delphia Miscepin on a charge of being intoxi-Miscepin had just been discharged from the army in Kentucky and started North to get some

Now that his desire has been thoroughly gratified, he declares that he is ugh," and for this reason, coupled with his army seeme, the magistrate

ordered him discharged.

OFFER TRACKLESS TROLLEY Atlantic City Receives Proposal From Philadelphia Concern

Atlantic City, June 10 .- A track the resort's motor less troiley ryice for Pacific avenue. Thayer, with offices in the Drexel T. W. Batton Heads Bridge Job List

The letter to the city rulers offered to install the services under a twentycear franchise, with a guaranteed fare of five cents for the period of the tranchise. If this If this is not agreeable, Ir. Thayer says his company will supthe equipment and install it at a reasonable cost. The city could lease it to the highest bidder or operate it

The communication was received with interest. The fitneys now have a fare of ten cents, and the trolley on At-

Pennsylvanian Provides

Committee Lubricant

Chicago, June 10.-(By A. P.)-An elderly delegate from Pennsylvania laid before the resolutions committee of the Republican National Convention yesterday a large package which he said contained matter he desired "looked into."

-real whisky. Senator Smoot, a teetotaler, was designated a committee of one to consider the subject, but returned it immediately without recommendations. Action by the full committee was prevented by disappearance of the contents of the bottle before it could reach that stage.

When Chairman Watson opened the hundle he found a bottle of whisky

Two Thugs Overturn Counters PALMER RULING SETS PRECEDENT

Holds President Has Ten Days After Adjournment to Consider Measures

Washington, June 10 .- (By A. P. Attorney General Palmer has made in informal ruling, which has been communicated to President Wilson, that the Chief Executive has ten days after sence from the scene of battle, belping the adjournment of Congress in which

to sign bills and resolutions This rule may change the status number of bills which the President Pennsylvania headquarters than at first. killed by a "pocket veto," explaining that he had not had sufficient-time in which to consider them. These mensures include the water power bill and the resolution repealing most of the

HALT PROFITEERING SUITS Judge's Decision Holds Up Cases.

Appeal May Be Taken
All prosecutions under the Lever law President and Vice President. Look us for alleged profiteering have been halted

in this district as a result of the decision of Judge Thompson, holding section of the law unconstitutional. On the basis of his decision given yesterday in the case of Lamborn & Co., New York sugar brokers, Judge Thom-

on today filed an opinion quashing th case against Thomas C. Martindale, question is, what can they save managing director of the firm of Thomas Martindale & Co., Market street groc- sibly. ers, on charges of exacting excessive

The government has not accepted the decision of Judge Thomson as final on squarely to him the constitutionality of the Lever law Of course, wit The proprietor was in the shop when and an appeal will be taken, and a prompt final determination of the question sought by the higher court.

CRASH JURY FAILS TO AGREE

A jury in Gloucester county court. Woodbury, which listened to the tes-timony at the hearing of five damage sults growing out of the grade crossing accident at Clarksboro, N. J., last November, failed to agree and was dis-charged this morning by Judge Donges, The suit was a joint action brought by Elizabeth Brown, John Wermuth, august Friend, Cornelius Regan and

Thomas Brown, of Philadelphia. All the plaintiffs had relatives who were killed or injured in the accident.

SMASH WINDOW, GET FURS Thleves Escape With Loot Valued

at More Than \$600 Thieves early today smashed a win-Siriners were just marching from the 1035 Broadway, Camden, and stole

> break the glass. The robbery was discovered when Hirshorn went downstairs open the store, several hours later.

MORE SHIPS SENT HERE

Federal Board Allocates Four Additional Vessels to Philadelphia

A letter from William S. Benson, chairman of the United States shipping board, was received at Mayor Moore's office today, stating four additional ships

Mayor recently appealed to Ad miral Benson for the allocation of addi-tional vessels to relieve the shortage in tennage at this port.

MISS ROSS WINS EXAM

Sister of Missing Charlie Ross Appointed Recreation Chief

Miss Sophie L. Ross, of 8014 Crefeldt street. Chestnut Hill, was the only apolicant to pass the examination today She is a sister of Charlie Ross, who was kidnapped from his home in Germantown and never recovered. Miss Ross had been provisionally ap

The Civil Service Commission announced today the eligible list for the position of assistant engineer in charge in this outbreak of Senator Borah a Monday of criminally receiving several f highways. 8047 Walker street, heads the list of place. Their argument is that while Prison for two and one-half to five years six eligibles, with an average of 86.03 Johnson may play the radical and, as a at hard labor. per cent. The position pays \$5000.

REPORTS OF KNOX CANDIDACY PERSIS **AMONG DELEGATES**

Junior Senator Ready to Join With Johnson at Right Moment, Says Rumor

PENROSE HAND IS FELT AT DISTANT COLISEUM

Sproul Gains Strength With Pennsylvania Seventy-six Solid in Ranks

By GEORGE NOX McCAIN Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Co. Chicago, June 10 .- The sick man in Philadelphia is a potent influence on affairs here, though 800 miles intervene and the line of connection is only a telephone wire attached to his armchair. It is becoming apparent that Senator Pen cse is, despite his inability and his ab to shape forces and move sentiment here mong the Old Guard retainers. His linison officer is John T. King who is less often seen now around the Mr. King is an exceedingly busy and secretive gor nan these sweltering days. Beyond this all is surmise as to purposes or orders, except to the

initiates. Again this morning, and with more s in the background waiting the psy-chological moment to step into the limelight, clasp hands with the gentleman from California, Mr. Hiram Johnson, and their smiling and bowing to the nation, jointly to exclaim, "Here we

Johnson Clan Shows Weakness The Johnson people are showing irrio'clock this morning they were super-It looks as though they know they the wreck. A vice presidency? Pos-

One of Johnson's managers this tingency.

Of course, with the recrudescence of the seventy-six.

The crux of the situation now, and conspiracy to bring about his escape. Judge Discharges Veniremen in it will develop later today on the floor Clarksboro, N. J., Crossing Accident of the convention, is the report of the committee of the League of-Nations

Big Changes Expected

The next twenty four hours may see rumor, some mighty big changes. It is daily In s becoming more apparent that the other candidates and their friends are afraid persists. The Department of Justice sorts of rumors and false statements are put in circulation to misrepresent her attitude and weaken her po- hemmed in. sition. Their only apparent effect is to

If one were to take the glowing accounts of his strength, as estimated by some of the Chicago daily newspapers as a criterion, nothing now remains for dow in the store of Morris Hirshorn, 1035 Broadway. Camden, and stole three sets of furs valued at more than \$600.

A heavy piece of concrete wrapped in cloth was used by the robbers to the national convention to do but meet, A heavy piece of concrete wrapped Sproul' and similar captions. Special n cloth was used by the robbers to writers devote long paragraphs to him. It is the logical result of the bitter feeling that exists among the followers of Johnson, Wood and Lowden. Hard-

ing does not figure much in the melee Governor Sproul, with a hig delegation behind him, is standing pat and saying nothing. He has, unlike the others, no enemies to punish. It is a relief to battle-worn delegates and nerve-frayed managers to find at least one candidate who does not tote hippocket hardware or carry an ax.

A significant episode of yesterday and all the evidence was when the Governor and Mayor delphia operatives. Moore were tendered a luncheon by the Hamilton Club of Chicago. It is pretty much to Chicago what the Union League is to Philadelphia. About 300 members

There were also present Senator Poin-dexter, Frank Mondell, leader of the Leslie M. Shaw, former secreary of the treasury, and other notables.

The Governor received an evation. "Other Fellows" Still Scrapping

as ever. Ralph B. Strassburger, of Montgomery county, who is one of the managers for Hiram Johnson, declined today to discuss the possibility of Knox-Johnson ticket. And he has present. the courage of his convictious as to the today to the city commissioners at their a salary of \$3000. of \$500 to \$100 that Wood would not be the candidate. Naturally all this is grist to Pennsylvania's mill, and "pep" in the Sproul motor.

> the bridge division of the bureau very clever scheme to put Senator Knox highways. Thomas W. Batton, of on the ticket with Johnson in second hitter ender, fight the league, his friends bitter ender, fight the league, as a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, who as can suggest Knox for first place. This, as a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, who as of course, is predicated on the fact sociated with honest men by day and of course, is predicated on The report of the city treasurer for the week just ended shows receipts of \$739,799, that Johnson appreciates that he is beaten. And there is good reason for the week just ended shows receipts of \$739,799.\$1. payments of \$713,839.99, friends privately admit he cannot get the and a balance of \$5,111,085.29.
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> Cardinal Gibbons Urges All Cardinal



SENATOR MEDILL McCORMICK Who today announced to the Re-publican National Convention the unanimous agreement of the subcommittee of the resolutions com-mittee on the League of Nations plank of the platform

insistence, comes the rumor that Kuox Baker and McAvoy to Issue "Important Statements" at Washington Today

THINK SLACKER TRAPPED

Arrests for conspiracy in the Bergdoll case may follow a final conference the majority wanted the recess. It is a sign of weakness. When held in Washington today between bling and it was 11:20 o'clock when the platform committee adjourned at 1 United States District Attorney Mc- Chairman Lodge heated as the atmosphere and as mad Avoy, of Philadelphia, and Assistant called the assemblage to order. The big and ready to sting as a nest of hornets. Attorney General Stewart. They con-

Mr. McAvoy said that the conference would be prolonged, and that at the delegates in their sents.

The resolutions committee fight down tant statement to make to the public. morning refused to discuss that con- A statement has been promised also on vention itself and there were prospects though I put the question the case by Secretary of War Baker will be issued late this afternoon.

Bergdoll's Washington attorney, forthe Knox talk, which cannot be ignored, mer Brigadier General Samuel T. An- and visitors while they awaited the Pennsylvania delegation pledged to sell, again insisted today that he had opening hour. The sun was beating Governor Sproul is also inclined to be heard nothing of a plan for the slacker ruffled. They regard it, and properly so, to surrender in return for which, the as an attempt to disrupt the solidity of story went, immunity had been prompersons involved in the alleged

Ansell Hopes for Surrender "I only hope that Bergdell will sur-render," said Mr. Ansell, "but I have heard nothing to lead me to believe that the story is other than a baseless

In spite of all denials, the report that of Pennsylvania. It is shown in the repeated attempts that are being made to that one of the Bergdolls or perhaps disrupt the solidity of her organization, both had taken up a hiding place in the fastnesses of the rolling hill country. still believe that they have the fugitive

Some of the Philadelphia agents of the department are on the job in Mary They are getting aid from the Washington police and from other Department of Justice agents stationed in the District of Columbia.

Ansell's office in Washington so that he could give himself up, watched every averue into the city. There were deaverue into the city. There were detectives on all roads; detectives at likely places in the city, and detectives in and around the Riggs Building, where An-

The conference between Mr. McAvey and Assistant Attorney General Stewart was thought to overshadow the plans of the agents for the capture of Bergdoll

Mr. McAvoy, with his assistant, T. Henry Walnut, arrived at the confer ence at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The Philadelphians brought with them transcripts of all the testimony taken at various hearings in Philadelphia. and all the evidence dug up by Phila Stories Do Not Jibe

Mr. Stewart had at his office all the evidence developed by the Department present. Many brought their of Justice's Washington office, and, in addition, a voluminous mass of testimony, transcripts and other documents prepared by Inspector General Harris. of the army. All of these documents were gone over and compared. Each witness's testimony, on the stand and

at private examinations, describing his The other candidates, the "big for inconsistencies. It was rethree," are at daggers drawn as much a mass of such discrepancies share in what happened, was examined It was reported found, on which will be based charges of conspiracy against certain whose names are being withheld for the

LAWYER SENT TO SING SING

Attorney Who Received Stolen Securities Gets 21/2 Years

New York, June 10 .- (By A. P.)ties, today was sentenced to Sing Sing Storey, described by the prosecution

crooks by night, automatically is barred

rdinal Gibbons Urges All Catholics

CONVENTION HALTS TO AWAIT PLATFORM

Proceedings Delayed by Conflicting Views on Peace

Treaty Plank

COMMITTEE REPORT

RECESS VOTED WHEN AGREEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Delegates Will Reassemble at 4 o'Clock and Start on Real Task

By the Associated Press Coliseum, Chicago, June 10 .- While awaiting the report of the platform committee, the Republican National

onvention held a brief session this morning and then, much to the disappointment of the galleries, took a re-When the convention assembled the platform committee was engaged in the truggle over the plank on the treaty and it looked as if much might be lost. Plans to go ahead with community speeches while awaiting the

platform report were considered, but there was objection and it was abun-While the convention managers were debuting what to do the word came from down town that the platform subcommittee had agreed on a report and a few minutes later Senator McCormick. of Illinois, one of the subcommittee members, appeared on the speakers platform and announced that a unanimals agreement had been reached by mous agreement had been reached by the subcommittee which promised union of the party and victory in November. Mr. McCormick presented a motion for a recess until 4 o'clock, but there was a roar of ayes and noes from the delegates and galleries and Chairman Lodge was compelled to call for a standing vote on which he decided that

hall was buzzing with talk about the ferred in the Department of Justice form and Mr. Lodge was compelled tuse his gavel vigorously before he sur prospects of an agreement on the plat-

> of War Baker. It early of a small house. The band and the songsters went through the motion of attempting to amuse the opening hour. down mercilessly and giving forewarn ing of a sweltering day. Cardinal Gibbons, who was to offer

prayer today, was among the early ar rivals. A committee expected the ven his appearance was followed by a rippl of applause. Gowned in his flowing rerobe and his gray head crowned by his red cap the cardinal made, a striking figure as he stood under the snow whitsounding board. He looked over the audience as he delivered his prayer and closed with the Lord's prayer, as dis the Episcopal clergyman who led the convention in prayer yesterday.

RECEIVER FOR ICE CO.

Federal Court Action Hit by the constant tightening of the facturing Co., 45 East School lane, Germantown, went into the hands of a fed-This morning the agents, believing eral receiver today. The company is that Bergdoll would make a dash for not insolvent, it is declared, but the mertgage elsewhere on account of the gesturing during a legal argument. money stringency.

The assets of the company, includ-

ing the plant and real estate on East weren't such a rat, School lane, are valued at \$122,000. while the assets which consist mostly of and went on with his argument. mortgages against the property are approximately \$82,000.

SEE BIG EMBEZZLEMENT

them \$109,000 Shortage Alleged Against Treasurer of New England Order Wern Boston, June 10.—(By A. P.)—The discovery of a shortage of \$109,000 in the accounts of John P. Sanborn, of Newport, R. I., as upremetreasu rer of the New England Order of Pretection of the West Philadelphia policy. They took their efforts very serious. tion, was announced by Judge II. Wil- lice. liam Scott, supreme warden of the or-der, today. Mr. Sanborn, in a state of ters. William Scals and Albert Johnprointed to succeed him.

Judge Scott said that the shortage as incovered to date extended back twelve served years. Treasurer Sanborn, who is seventy-six years of age, has held the office twenty-nine years.

TITTONI CALLED BY KING

Victor Emmanuel Discusses Cabinet Crisis in Italy

Rome, June 10 .- (By A. P.)-King Victor Emmanuel took in hand today the situation caused by the action of Premier Nitti in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday in announcing the resig nation of the ministry. The king called to the palace former Foreign Minister Tomasso Tittoni, the president of the senate, and Ex-Premier Orlando, who resigned yesterday from the presidency of the Chamber of Deputies, and talked with them regarding the cabinet crisis. Newspaper comment on the cabinet situation today reflected quite generally the view that the man who would ulti-mately have to be selected to succeed mately have to be selected to succeed the charges because, the complainants reckoned up their gowns which would premier Nitti in the premiership was assert, police aided Dunn in keeping last till Saturday, but would the conformer Premier Giolitti.

LEAGUE PLANK PLEASES JOHNSON

Chicago, June 10 .- (By A. P.) -Senator Johnson declared today that n the contest over the platform section on the League of Nations the "first assault of internationalism and international bankers on the Republican party and been met and defeated." It had been charged by the Johnson-Borah group

that the Crane plank "had its birth in Wall street." There would be a "second assault" by the same forces, Senator Johnson asserted, with the object of nominating a candidate, which he "hoped would be met and defeated." but he added that if the reports on the platform decision reaching him were correct, he would not carry the fight to the floor of he

NO PROHIBITION PLANK FOR G. O. P.

CHICAGO, June 10 .- The Republican resolutions subcommittee's action today regarding prohibition was refusal to incorsporate the plank proposed by William Allen White, declaring specifically for enforcement of the eighteenth amendment and all laws thereunder. It was said that the committee inserted a genral delaration for enforcement of all laws.

BERGDOLL PROSECUTIONS TO START AT ONCE

Criminal prosecutions will start at once of civilians concorned in the escape of Grover Bergdoll, according to announcement made this afternoon at Washington by United States At mey McAvoy, of Philadelphia, after he had conferred several bours with assistant Attorney General Stewart. He refused to name those who would be prosecuted. "We have decided to to stop pussey-footing about this thing," he said, "and strike right to the heart of it and make those answerable pay the

GOSSIP HINTS PENROSE HAS G. O. P. TICKET IN MIND

From gossip overheard today at the home of Senator Penrose, it is believed he is following the fight at Chicago over the League of Nations plank with unusual interest, probably with an eve to forming an entente-cordiale with Senator Johnson, and naming a candidate other than one of the "big three," possibly Governor Sproul.

SUGAR RATIONING IN HOTELS JUNE 21

Rationing of sugar as in wartime will go int oeffect in hotels and restaurants throughout the country on June 21. Armin W Riley, special assistant to Attorney General Palmer, announce

SCOTT PUGNACIOUS | G. O. P. TO SURVIVE AT POLICE HEARING CLASH ON LEAGUE

Coyne's Nose When Attorney

in New York today.

Lawyer Threatens to Punch Dire Prediction of Smash-Up by Young Senator Not Accidentally Touches Papers

GETS SMILE IN RETURN IS NOT SO EASILY SPLIT

John R. K. Scott, Vare leader of the Money Stringency is Blamed for Fourteenth ward, was pugnacious today in Magistrate Carney's office, 300 North

Sixteenth street. Scott, pressing charges of conspiracy against Superintendent of Police Mills went on all day yesterday, will go on and twenty-five other policemen of yarrall today again. Some of the members

Assistant City Solicitor Coyne, who holder refused to grant a renewal and touched Scott's papers as Coyne was

> Corne smiled, shrugged his shoulders Cortelyou Looks in Window who is backing up his police suborui-

through an open window. With him were Thomas W. Cunningham, president of the Republican Alliance division; Sergeant David Roberts

resigned, and George E. Howe, of first street, a ward committeeman, was Quincy, supreme vice warden, has been the first witness. Weldon said the committeemen had planned to have sufpper served in the club house Monday evethe club house door at 4 atclock that afternoon.

> rts forbade him to eter, he testified a complaint.

Mills and other defendants, including John Dunn, Republican Alliance not been confirmed. He is a very young leader of the Forty-fourth ward, are senator. accused of conspiracy to prevent a law ful organization of the Forty-fourth

Say Members Were Barred

ward executive committee last Monday. The Vare followers, who make the charge, allege that Dunn, a constable took possession of the Frankenfield Republican Club, 5222 Haverford avenue. on Monday and barred legally elected The police officials are involved in

Borne Out

By CLINTON W. GILBERT Chicago, June 10,-The platform

ous grades, had placed a sheaf of papers of the subcommittee think they will be the principles he had advocated, but Scott leaned toward Coyne and Chicago as they did at Washington. It the convention floor. "I would punch your nose if you is a job for specialists, for the topliners of the party. The regular sub- headquarters refused to issue any statecommittee is no more trusted with it ment at once on the plan. It was said than Will H. Hays's advisory committhat Governor Lowden might have

tee was trusted with it. The regular something to say later in the day, but Director of Public Safety Cortelyou, subcommittee met in the Auditorium. General Wood's managers were inclined yard in the rear of The masters who wrestled with the to think their cambidate would remain Carney's office watching proceedings league plank met somewhere in the silent for the present. With him Blackstone Hotel. They were an inand formal conference. And all the best but Ogden Mills, of New York, who has a year's work at it in Washington put

They took their efforts very serious. ly. When one young senator emerged collapse, according to Judge Scott, has son.
Thomas J. Weldon, 65 North Fifty- porters rushed up to him and asked, What do you think of the progress of the Wood movement today, senator?" The senator dashed his cane angrily arned, he said, that Dunn upon the ground. "What," he asked, 'is the use of talking about candidacies? By midnight there may not be found Dunn in nessession, and that any Republican party. We shall not Sergeaut Roberts was at the door, Rob. know until these gentlemen set through know until these gentlemen get through their work on the league plank," As ent Mills's office at City Hall and made it is now long past midnight, the readers will doubtless know that there is still a Republican party. The young senator's worst fears have, happily,

Words Easy to Solit

He does not know how hard it is to though it sometimes takes time. ladies who can only wear a gown once during the convention. Mentally they

REPUBLICAN CRISIS PASSED: PAVE WAY FOR FULL HARMONY

Platform to Be Presented to Convention at Chicago This Afternoon

WORK IN COLISEUM WILL BE SPEEDED UP

Johnson Claims Victory for His Principles in Decision on League

By the Associated Press Chicago, June 10 .- A League of Nstions plank declared by leaders to be 'acceptable to everybody' was unanimously adopted today by the Republican resolutions subcommittee, apparently ending all threat of a party split over

the league issue. The plank upholds the Senate in refusing to ratify the treaty of Versailles, declares that any future international peace understanding must square with American traditions, and omits the affirmative declaration for a league which had been urged by the mild reservation-

Lodge Threatened Fight on Floor

Originally drafted weeks ago by Elibu Root, the plank was revised at an allnight series of conferences and was adopted by the subcommittee after Senator Lodge, the Republican Senate leader, had appeared in the committee room and declared if the mild reservation proposal were accepted he would

go on the convention floor and fight it. The plank was said by the subcommittee members to be witolly acceptable to former Senator Crape, of Massachusetts, the leader for the mild reser vation group, and its acceptance removed the only obstacle to speeding a canclusion the work of tional convention. The completed platform was to be taken to the convention floor late in the afternoon and it was said a night session might be called to begin the hearing of nominating

Shortly before noon the work of the subcommittee was completed and members said they thought there would be no barrier to a prompt acceptance of its platform draft by the full reso-

utions committee. While the Root plank commends the Senate's rejection of the Versailles covenant, it is understood to contain provision expressing in general terms the party's approval of some international concert for peace. It was that feature, it was said, which led the

mild reservationists to accept it. Johnson Sees Victory

News of the agreement started lively speculation whether the chances of any presidential candidate would be aided or injured by the adjustment. The generally expressed first impression was fight in the Republican party, which that it would affect none of them exwent en all day yesterday, will go on cept perhaps Senator Johnson. He immediately builted it as a victory for

Lowden, Wood, Butler and Harding

Senator Crane withheld comments worked with him, said Mr. Crane was "perfectly satisfied."

"The proposal came from our side," said Mr. Mills, "and was accepted just as it was received three weeks ago from Mr. Root."

Wilson's Policy Denounced To this statement Senator Borah, a

leader of the irreconcilables, said bis side had secured omission of many provisions in another text submitted vesterday by Mr. Mills-the Crane plank. It is understood there is no specific mention of the League of Nations, but there is inferential reference to it in a denunciation of the course of the President in the conduct of foreign affairs. in which he is blamed for failure to

commended for its course with reference to the general subject without dif . ferentiating in regard to the views of different groups of senators. The provision makes specific declarasplit-anything but words, which are tion in favor of the support of all Amerthe easiest things in the world to split, lean obligations, and announces the determination of the Republican party promote the establisment of an interna-

consult the Senate. The Senate was

ladies in the Blackstone watched the clock go round as words were pitted against words. At the Blackstone stay thoual court which would devote itself to the promotion of justice among nations without committing the country to estangling alliances. After the

able to say just where the Republican it was pointed out that it probably action was forced because a mortgage was abling in the defense, accidentally party stood on everything by tonight. would remove the opportunity which The Republicans are having as much many delegates thought he wanted for trouble with the League of Nations at impassioned debate on the subject on